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2. [X] Small Entity Status is hereby asserted.

3. [X] Specification

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Descriptive title of the Invention

Cross References to Related Applications

Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D

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- Background of the Invention

Brief Summary of the Invention

Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)

Detailed Description

- Claim(s)

Abstract of the Disclosure

4. [X] Drawing(s) /35 USC 113/

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5. [X] Oath or Declaration

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[] Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)

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Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

6. [] Application Data Sheet (see 37 CFR 1.76)

7. [] CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or computer program (Appendix)

8. [] Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)

a. [] Computer Readable Form

b. Specification Sequence Listing on:

i. [] CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or

ii. [] Paper

c. [] The paper and computer readable copies are identical

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))

37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) 10. []

[] Power of Attorney

11. [] English Translation Document (if applicable)

Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449

[] Copies of IDS Citations **Preliminary Amendment**

14. [X] Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically

itemized) Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)

(if foreign priority is claimed)

16. [] Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.

17. [] Other

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below, and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet:

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[] Divisional

[] Continuation-in-part (CIP)

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Prior Application Information: Examiner

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It is respectfully requested that this application be assigned a serial number and awarded a filing date pursuant to 37 CFR 1.53.

A duly executed oath or declaration pursuant to 37 CFR 1.63 will be submitted after notification by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office pursuant to 37 CFR 1.53(f).

A non-executed copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney, containing the inventorship information, is attached. It is respectfully requested that all communications be directed to the firm indicated on the attached Declaration and Power of Attorney, namely:

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The required U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Filing Fee is submitted herewith.

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